

Snow Friday, in southwest portion. Not much change in temperature. High, 36; Low, 24; at 8 a. m. 29. Year ago, High, 38; Low, 26. Sunrise, 7:52 a. m.; Sunset, 5:11 p. m. River, 4.38 ft.

Thursday, December 23, 1948

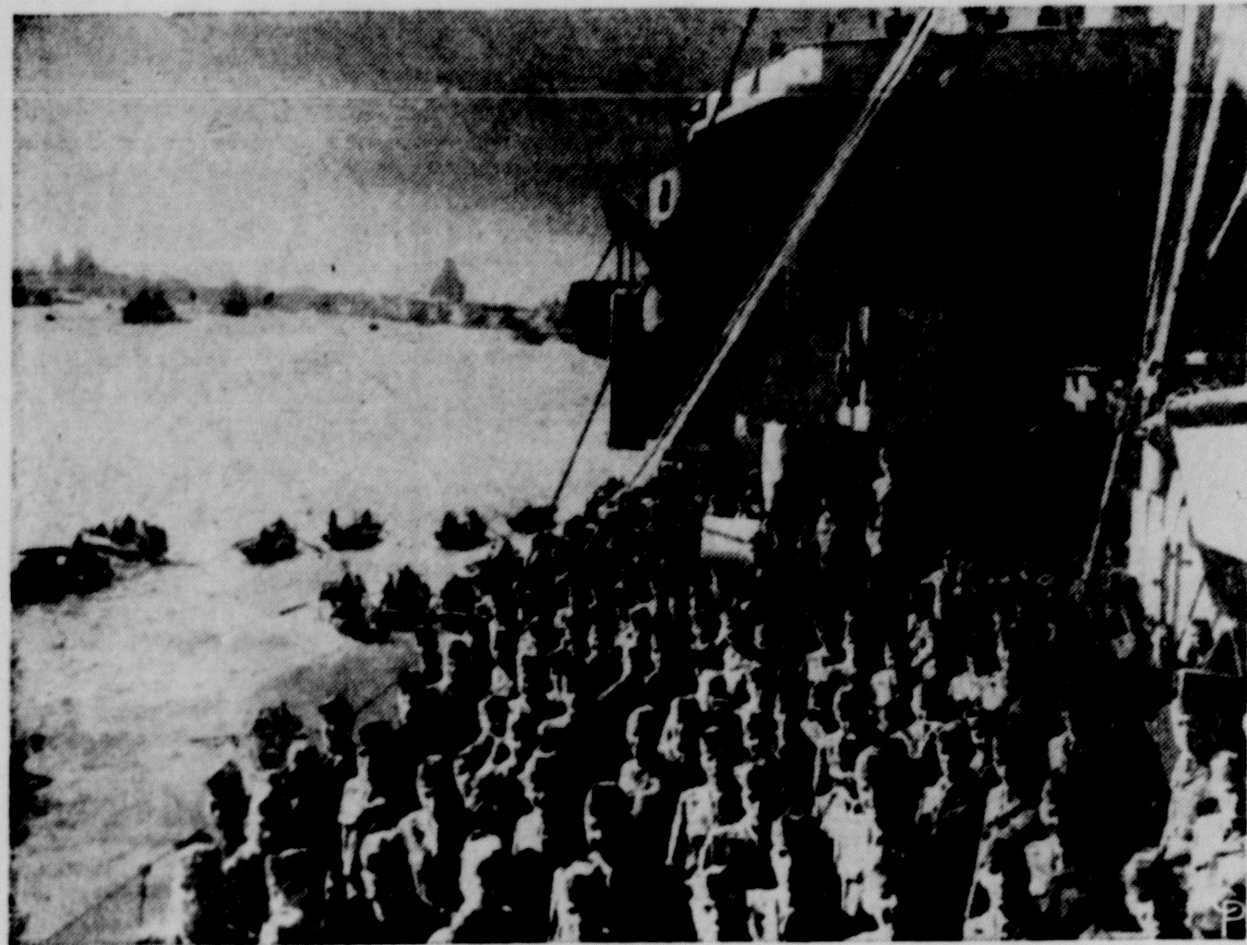
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DUTCH DENOUNCED AS AGGRESSORS



GATHERED ON THE DECK of the U. S. Transport Bayfield, part of a detachment of 695 U. S. Marines is shown as they arrived at Shanghai from Tsingtao. They have been assigned to protect American lives and essential property in the port city, and are quartered at the U. S. naval annex on Yangtze Road.

UEW AND CHIEF TAGGED AS 'RED'

Solons Issue List Of Unions Having Communist Backing

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23—The House Un-American Activities Committee charged today that 13 "Communist officers hold positions of critical influence" in seven CIO unions.

The charge was contained in a question-and-answer pamphlet titled "100 Things You Should Know About Communism And Labor," which also said that 20 CIO unions had "Communist leadership... strongly entrenched" in 1944.

Some of these unions, the committee added, such as the Trans-

port Workers Union, have attempted "belatedly" to eliminate Communist influence, while in a number of these, such as the powerful Electrical Workers and Longshoremen's unions, Communists are still in the saddle.

The committee also charged that more than six large strikes were carried out by Communists to delay U. S. rearmament during the 1931-41 period when the Hitler-Stalin non-aggression pact was in effect.

500,000 votes for Henry A. Wallace in the November election.

Listed among "Communist officers" holding important positions was Julius Emspak, secretary-treasurer of the United Electrical, Radio and Machine Workers union.

(Editor's Note: A state CIO official recently said in Circleville that the UEW would make a definite attempt to organize workers in this city's new General Electric Co. plant.)

Other "Red" union leaders listed were:

THESE STRIKES, the pamphlet said, occurred at Allis-Chalmers, Milwaukee Wis.; International Harvester, Haverill plant, Los Angeles; Vultee Aircraft, North American Aviation, Los Angeles; Aluminum Company of America, Cleveland; Mine, Mill and Smelter Workers Union, Trona, Calif.; and in Connecticut brass factories.

The committee also termed as "Communist-dominated" the American Labor Party of New York which polled more than

Blockade Failing To Ban Santa From Berlin

BERLIN, Dec. 23—Berlin's blockade may bar many items for the western sector of the city—but it can not keep out Santa or the spirit of Christmas.

The dwindling stocks of Berlin's western sector shops have been magically bolstered by trinkets hoarded just for Christmas and other items smuggled through barricades.

Youngsters who jam the streets press their noses against the windows of stores offering a wondrous variety of electric trains, dolls, three-wheeled autos and other toys to gladden their hearts.

For most of them, however, looking will have to suffice because prices are as far out of reach of the average Berliner as the C-54 Skymasters droning overhead.

A miniature railway costs (Continued on Page Two)

Our Birthday Is On Friday

Well, good for us. We're going to have a birthday on Christmas Eve.

Friday will be the 134th birthday of Circleville as an incorporation.

According to the records, Circleville was founded in 1810 at the same time as Pickaway County as a whole, and was incorporated Dec. 24, 1814.

PRIEST GETS FALSE TEETH, BIT OF VERSE

6 Lusty 'Banzais' Are Shouted Out By 7 Jap Warlords In Final Walk

TOKYO, Dec. 23—All seven of the Japanese warlords hanged here were revealed tonight to have marched to their deaths with smiles on their faces after shouting to six lusty "Banzais."

The disclosure was made by Nobukatsu Hanayama, Buddhist priest who accompanied Pearl Harbor Premier Hideki Tojo and the other six doomed men to the door of Sugamo prison's execution chamber.

Hanayama said each of the two groups that walked to the gallows shouted six Banzais—three for Emperor Hirohito and three for "Dai Nippon" meaning Great Japan.

The first group of four, which included Tojo, was led in the Banzai-yelling by 70-year-old Gen. Iwane Matsui, the man adjudged chiefly responsible for the 1937 rape of Nanking in which 200,000 persons were slaughtered.

Gen. Heitaro Kimura, once Tojo's vice-war minister, led the second group of three condemned men in shouting the traditional Japanese cheers.

After emerging from Sugamo where he had been with the seven war criminals since Monday, Hanayama gave a dramatic account of the last hours and minutes in the lives of the condemned militarists.

The priest said that he went

into the prison's improvised altar room at 11:30 o'clock last night—31 minutes before the historic hangings began.

The manacled prisoners, Hanayama said, followed shortly afterward. They lighted candles, burned incense and then drank grape wine and water from four small cups laid before the altar.

The priest said he drank with (Continued on Page Two)

Chief Mum On Demand

McCready To Talk To Attorneys

Circleville Police Chief William McCready said Thursday he did not know whether he would take legal action as demanded in this week's city council meeting.

"I won't know until I talk with my attorneys," the head of this city's law-enforcement department declared.

The demanded action concerned Councilman Robert Adkins' charge that Chief McCready should file a warrant for the arrest of the alleged "contact man" for the state liquor department who reportedly asked "shakedown" money here for protection against raids.

Four Circleville clubs were involved in the alleged "shakedown" which was to provide \$1,800 in "protection" for the balance of the calendar year.

ADKINS declared he wanted "to get to the bottom of this whole mess" and "find out who is wrong—Circleville or the state."

He declared he "would make this demand at every council meeting the rest of my term in office."

McCready said Thursday that "I've been here 32 long years and I've got a pretty good idea who should file the warrant. It is the injured man—Ed Ebert."

Ebert, commander of Circleville American Legion, has been identified as the person met by the "contact man."

Last week Ebert declared he had "washed my hands of the whole affair and want nothing more to do with it."

Arctic Hurricane Quiets; Chance For Rescue Seen

WESTOVER, Mass., Dec. 23—A 100-mile-an-hour Arctic hurricane began abating today and raised hopes for the pre-Christmas rescue of 11 American airmen stranded on a bleak Greenland ice cap.

Seven of the marooned fliers have been on the lofty Greenland peak for two weeks, two others have been there ten days, and the other two for almost a week.

Rescue airmen poised at Greenland bases for the rescue dash by glider and transport plane have taken vows to "get 'em out by Christmas" if it is humanly possible.

All attempts in the last two weeks to lift the marooned men from their bitterly cold, hurricane (Continued on Page Two)

Greeks Shoot 13 Communists

ATHENS, Dec. 23—The Greek government announced today that 13 persons, including seven women, have been executed by a firing squad for aiding the guerrillas.

The announcement said that all 13 were Communists who were sentenced by a military court to die for participating in the Communist-led revolt of Gen. Markos Vafthiades.

The executions took place at Tripolis, in the Peloponnese peninsula in Southern Greece.



ON HIS BEHAVIOR at the Christmas dinner rehearsal pictured here depended whether "Nick," pet dog of Robert Mastro, 3, New York, would be allowed to dine with his little master when the regular Yule feast is served. Robert wanted his dog as a table companion, but his parents frowned. So "Nick" demonstrates that, with a juicy bone to tempt him, he can nonchalantly bite at a cigaret holder.

CIRCUS FOLK SET HOLIDAY

Big Burma Has Big Worry: Yule Stocking Is Sought

Christmas rush got you going? Meet the comely, 36-year-old miss who has her Christmas worries—king-sized. Or, more accurately, maybe you should say elephant-sized.

She's Circleville's old friend Burma, four-and-a-half-ton performing pachyderm of the Mills Bros. Circus, which is spending its second winter in barns at the Pickaway County Fairgrounds here.

Burma, who's looking forward to the Night Before Christmas as just like youngsters everywhere are, has this problem:

Where in the world can you find a stocking big enough for an elephant to hang by the fireplace?

And, by the same token, if she finds one, old St. Nick himself probably will do some last-minute worrying. For how in the world could he ever expect to fill a stocking that big?

BURMA, of course, isn't really letting this stocking business

Lifetime Driving Ban Is Levied

PORTSMOUTH, Dec. 23—Portsmouth Judge Kenneth Cranston imposed upon a 39-year-old Kentucky man a lifetime driving ban after the man admitted he had several blackouts during the last three years.

James Earl Davidson, of Ashland, was declared by the judge "not physically or mentally qualified to drive an automobile." He was arrested crossing the Portsmouth-Fullerton bridge on the state line without paying a toll.

Santa Overworked

BUFFALO, Dec. 23—Charles W. Howard, 52-year-old department store Santa Claus, was hospitalized here today—suffering from a nervous breakdown. "I guess I've just been pushing myself too hard lately," Howard commented from his hospital bed.

Living Cost Slips Again

Figures Bring Auto Pay Cut

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23—The government today reported the second straight monthly decline in the cost of living.

A Bureau of Labor Statistics report on November retail prices throughout the country showed that the consumers price index decreased eight-tenths of one percent last month.

In October, the retail price index went down a half of one percent.

While the combined two-month decline is small it may be the forerunner of an appreciable downward trend and can be extremely important to labor in its campaign for fourth-round wage boosts.

The BLS index already has declined enough to require a one-cent an hour cut in the wage scale of 200,000 General Motors employees which is related directly to the cost of living. The next computation will be made Jan. 13.

Food prices, which dropped 1.9 percent last month again were primarily responsible for the overall dip in the cost of living index. November prices of clothing and house furnishings also declined fractionally; one tenth of a percent.

ON NOV. 15, the consumer price index stood at 172.2 percent of the 1935-39 average—4.4 percent higher than a year ago, 29.2 percent above the end of OPA controls and 74.6 percent higher than prewar levels.

The substantial drop in food prices in November marked the fourth consecutive month in which the food index has declined. With decreases reported last month in 54 out of 56 cities surveyed, food prices now have decreased more than four percent from the record high of last July.

Sun-Fo Says: No Peace Until We Can Make War

NANKING, Dec. 23—Premier Sun-Fo told his newly installed cabinet today that he favors "an honorable peace" but he added "only when we are able to make war can we make peace."

The premier called for the strengthening of the military front as the first necessity for an eventual peace settlement with the Communists.

The new cabinet took office as China faced one of its gravest military crises in 25 centuries of recorded history.

Only news from the battlefield favorable to the Nationalists was the reported recapture of Tangku, the only port in the government's narrow corridor in North China, and a localized Communist retreat northeast of Nanking.

Government military quarters reported that Communists driving down the Grand Canal in an attempt to bridge the vital Yangtze river were being driven back by the Nationalist 52nd army.

A Communist crossing of the Yangtze would virtually seal off Nanking and all of the rich Central China heartland.

Expulsion From UN Is Questioned

3 Nations Rap Indonesian War

PARIS, Dec. 23—Australia and India denounced Holland's military action against Indonesia before the Security Council today, and Australia raised the question of possible "expulsion" of the Dutch from the UN.

But a movement was started to water down a United States resolution calling for an immediate cease-fire and withdrawal of Netherlands troops to "pre-invasion" positions.

It was learned that France is sponsoring the modification, which would mean voting the resolution paragraphically and confining it to a cease-fire demand.

American delegation members feel that such action would enable the Dutch to consolidate their conquest and thus deliver a severe blow to UN prestige. Soviet Russia's Jacob Malik openly charged The Netherlands with "aggression and of attempting to impose a 'puppet' government on Indonesia. He criticized the UN's good offices committee for Indonesia as "ineffective and toothless."

AFTER Australia's delegate, Col. W. R. Hodgson, had voiced the possibility that Holland's suspension from the UN might result if it persists in its Indonesian campaign, D. B. Desai of India took the floor.

Hodgson said the Dutch action was worse than Hitler's invasion of Holland in 1940. Appearing as an "interested party," Desai called the Dutch action a "wanton, deliberate, entirely unprovoked and uncalled for aggression."

Desai said that the Indonesians "will not surrender their honor" and continued:

"The council must act immediately, decisively and effectively, ordering not only a cease-fire but withdrawal of Dutch troops, otherwise it will amount indirectly to its acquiescence." (Continued on Page Two)

Chinese Crushed To Death In Money Scramble

SHANGHAI, Dec. 23—At least seven persons were killed and hundreds seriously injured today when some 200,000 Chinese men and women stormed government banks in downtown Shanghai to exchange paper currency for gold bullion and silver dollars.

The casualty figures resulting from the riots were announced by the Shanghai city government.

In addition to the seven "definitely known" to have been crushed to death, the official announcement stated, many of the seriously injured were expected to die before nightfall. Hundreds of the injured were being steadily brought into crowded hospitals hourly.

Mounted and foot police, carrying fixed bayonets, struggled to restore order in the vast and riotous multitude, but were powerless to do so amid scenes of unparalleled confusion.

Hundred were trampled under foot or crushed into unconsciousness as the stampede grew more violent with each passing hour. Thousands had spent all of last (Continued on Page Two)

Shopping day till Christmas



Expulsion From UN Is Questioned

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essence in the present aggression.
Faris El-Khoury of Syria said his country is willing to sponsor an Australian amendment to the original resolution, demanding that Holland release the president and premier of the Indonesian republic.
The officials were taken into custody when the capital city of Jogjakarta was captured.
Hodgson said the Dutch attack on Indonesia is in "violation of a solemn undertaking" and said that "expulsion from the UN may well be the result."

Chinese Crushed To Death In Money Scramble

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night in a biting wind and driving rain, squatting on sidewalks and pavements of Shanghai's financial district.
THEY DEFIED the 11 p. m. curfew in their determination to be first on the spot at 9 o'clock this morning when the government banks opened to resume the sale of gold bullion and silver dollars in exchange for the sinking paper currency of Communist-threatened Nationalist China.
As dawn broke, steady streams of additional Chinese from all parts of China's biggest city thronged to Shanghai's famed Bund to swell the huge mobs.
Just before opening time, officials estimated some 200,000 people were packed within an area measuring only 400 by 800 yards.
In the mobs were many poorly-clad coolies, hungry, soaked to the skin and clutching little bundles of paper money to exchange for gold and silver.

Kiwanis Club Seeks Charter

Papers for incorporation have been filed with the Ohio secretary of state by Circleville Kiwanis Club.
Listed as "not for profit," the club's representatives are G. Guy Campbell, Roscoe Warren and J. Wray Henry. Agent for the organization is listed as Sterling Lamb with the papers being filed by the club's secretary, George L. Schaub.

MARKETS

CASH quotations made to farmers to Circleville	
Cash, Premium	42
Cash, Regular	39
Eggs	42
Butter, wholesale	48
POULTRY	
Heavy Hens 3 lbs and up	33
Corn	19
Light Hens	32
Fries	35
Roasts	37
CHICAGO LIVESTOCK	
HOGS—20,500, including 8,500 direct, 25¢ lower, early top 22.50; bulk 19.50-22; heavy 19-22; medium 21.50-22.50; light 21.50-22.50; light lights 21-22; packing sows 19-18; pigs 19-18.	
CATTLE—2,500; steady; calves 500; steady good and choice steers 30-35; common and medium 21-30; yearlings 21-35; heifers 17-21; cows 16-21; bulls 18-23; calves 17-22; feeder steers 20-27; stocker steers 18-28; stocker cows and heifers 16-22.	
SHEEP—2,000; steady; medium and choice lambs 25-28.50; culls and common 19-25; yearlings 18-23; ewes 9-11; feeder lambs 18-23.	
CIRCLEVILLE CASH GRAIN PRICES	
No. 2 Wheat	2.14
No. 2 Corn	1.27
Soybeans	2.36
CHICAGO GRAIN	
WHEAT	1 p.m.
Sept	2.08 1/2
Oct	2.09 1/2
Nov	2.08 1/2
Dec	2.07 1/2
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The Visions of Daniel and St. John

TOLD IN THE APOCALYPSE OF THE BIBLE

Scripture—Daniel 7: Revelation 1: 4:8b, 11: 11:15b; 15:3b-4; 21:22.

By NEWMAN CAMPBELL

IN THE Bible are found two apocalyptic books—one in the Old Testament, in Daniel; one, in Revelation, in the New Testament, written by St. John—the last book in the Bible, and titled, "The Revelation of St. John the Divine."

The word apocalypse means a revealing or disclosure of truth concerning divine things that were not previously known.

Daniel's vision which he said he had in a dream while in his bed, took place in Babylon, when the Israelites were in captivity there, and the four great beasts he saw coming out of a stormy sea represented the four great empires of that day, and the interpretation was that eventually they would be destroyed, followed by the everlasting kingdom of the most high God.

The first beast or image—a lion—symbolized the kingdom of Babylon, the second—the bear—that of the Medo-Persian; the leopard of Greece, more particularly under Alexander the Great, and the strong and terrible beast with 10 horns—which represented 10 kings—the great empire of Rome. This vision was written, probably about 550 B. C.

St. John wrote the Book of Revelation on the island of Patmos, a small isle in the Mediterranean sea, near the Grecian coast, toward the end of the first century, possibly A. D. 95.

It was a time of great persecutions of the Christians, and John wrote to the church people—as a brother and companion in tribulation—to bolster up their courage in suffering by telling them of his divine message from God of the glories that awaited them.

"I am Alpha and Omega, the beginning and the ending, saith the Lord, which is, and which was, and which is to come, the Almighty."

John tells of the voice he heard, like a great trumpet, and as he turned he saw "seven candlesticks, one like the Son of Man, clothed with a garment down to the foot, and girt about with a golden girdle."

John was told to write all that he had seen. He too saw four

Churches

Kingston Methodist Charge

Rev. Charles B. Eljer, Pastor.

Kingston—Sunday School, 10 a. m. Worship, Subject: "Hither to hath the Lord helped us," 11 a. m. Wednesday, 7:30 p. m. Hour of Power.

Crouse Chapel (in Centralia) Worship, 9:45 a. m. Sunday school, 10:45 a. m.

Bethel—Sunday school, 10 a. m. Christmas Program, 7:30 a. m. Thursday, 8 p. m. Prayer and Bible study.

Salem—Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.

Watch night service New Years Eve in Kingston church for all four churches.

South Bloomfield Methodist Charge

Rev. Carl Wetherell, Pastor

Walnut Hill—Worship service 10 a. m.; White gift offering; Sunday school 11 a. m. Walter Reese, superintendent. Bible study Saturday 8 p. m.

Lockbourne—Sunday school 10 a. m. Clarence Forshey, superintendent. Worship service at 11 a. m. White gift offering.

Shadeville—Sunday school 10 a. m. Howard Hubbard, superintendent. Prayer service every Sunday, 7 p. m. Christmas program by the school in the church Tuesday 7:30 p. m.

South Bloomfield—Sunday school 9:30 a. m. Mrs. Oval Cook, superintendent.

Tarleton Methodist Charge

Rev. Joseph A. Bretz, Pastor.

Tarleton—Worship service 9:30 a. m. Sunday school 10:30 a. m., Dale Fogler, Superintendent. Christmas program Wednesday 8 p. m. Official board meeting Dec. 27, 8 p. m.

Oakland—Sunday school 9:30 a. m., Clarence Miller, Superintendent. Worship Service 10:35 a. m.

Drinkle—Sunday school 10 a. m., Paul Kern, Superintendent.

Bethany—Sunday school 10 a. m., Leewood Chambers, Superintendent.

South Perry—Sunday school 9:30 a. m., Vernie Stahr, Superintendent. Prayer Meeting Sunday and Thursday, 7:30 p. m.

Ashville Methodist Charge

Rev. A. B. Albertson, Pastor

Ashville—Church school, 9:30 a. m. Eugene Borror, superintendent. Youth Fellowship 7 p. m. Hedges Chapel—Morning worship, 9:30 a. m. Church school, 10:30 a. m. Martin Cromley, superintendent.

Ashville-Lockbourne Lutheran Parish

Rev. C. A. Holmquist, Pastor

Ashville—First English church, Services 9:15 a. m. Lockbourne—St. Matthew church, Services 11 a. m.

Williamsport Methodist Church

Rev. J. H. Sudlow, Pastor

Williamsport—Sunday school, 9:30 a. m. G. P. Hunsicker and Lawrence W. Ater, superintendents. Worship service, 10:30 a. m. Youth Fellowship 6 p. m.

Adelphi Methodist Charge

Rev. H. D. Frazier, Pastor

Hallsville—Unified service, Sunday school Christmas party, 9:30 a. m.

Adelphi—Sunday school, 9:30 a. m. Christmas program 10:30 a. m.

Laurelville—Christmas party and church school, 9:30 a. m. Worship service, 7:30 p. m.

Haynes—Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.

a. m. Prayer service, 7:30 p. m. Tuesday.

Heidelberg Evangelical And Reformed Church

Rev. Fred Dollefeld, Pastor

Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.; Worship service 10:45 a. m.

Emmett Chapel—Mt. Pleasant Methodist Charge

Rev. Sam C. Elsea, Pastor

Emmett Chapel—Church school, 10 a. m. Worship service, 11 a. m.

Mt. Pleasant—Church school, 9:30 a. m.

Stoutsville EUB Charge

Rev. H. Glenn Crabtree, Pastor

St. John's—Worship service, 9:15 a. m. Student recognition day, Jack Larue, in charge. Church school 10 a. m. Howard Huston, Superintendent.

Pleasant View—Church school Christmas program, 9:15 a. m. Church School Hour, 10:15 a. m. Merrill Poling, Superintendent.

St. Paul's—Church School Hour, 10:15 a. m. Mrs. Leona Delong, Superintendent. Christmas program, 11:15 a. m.

Derby Methodist Charge

Rev. S. A. Steele, Pastor

Derby—Worship service, 9:30 a. m. Sunday school, 10:30 a. m.

Children's Bible class and prayer meeting, Wednesday evening.

Greenland—Sunday school 9:30 a. m. Worship service, 10:30 a. m.

Five Points—Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. Christmas candlelight service, sponsored by the young people, in the Christian church, 7:30 p. m.

Pherson—Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.

Pickaway EUB Charge

Rev. C. R. Butterbaugh, Pastor

Pontius—Morning service, message by the pastor, 9:30 a. m.; Sunday school, 10:30 a. m. Midweek prayer service, 7:30 p. m. Wednesday, Mary Richards, class leader.

Ringgold—Sunday school, 9:30 a. m. Morning service, message by the pastor, 10:45 a. m. Christian Endeavor, 7:30 p. m. Midweek prayer service, 7:30 p. m. Wednesday, Russell Spangler, class leader.

Dresbach—Sunday school, 9:30 a. m. Hattie Metzger, superintendent. Prayer service, 10:30 a. m. Thad Hill, class leader. Midweek prayer service, 7:30 p. m. Thursday, Thad Hill, class leader.

Morris—Sunday school, 9:30 a. m. Prayer service, 10:45 a. m. Harry Arledge, class leader.

Youth fellowship, 7:30 p. m. Evening service, message by the pastor, 8 p. m.

Stoutsville Lutheran

Rev. H. B. Drum, Pastor

Trinity Lutheran Stoutsville: worship service 9:15; Sunday school 10:15

St. Jacob's Lutheran, Tarleton: Sunday school, 9:30; worship service, 10:30.

Ashville EUB Charge

Rev. J. D. Hopper, Pastor

Ashville—Worship 9:15 a. m. Sermon topic, "Looking Back." Sunday school, 10:15 a. m. Richard Messick Superintendent.

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Franklin School Gives Detailed Yule Program

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The first grade opened the program with a series of four songs, followed by recitations given by seven members of the second grade—Linda Cook, Rita Cook, Johnny Troutman, Teddie Barthelmas, Patty Stant, Walter Arledge and Roger Wolfe.

Second and third grades combined voices to sing "There's A Song In The Air," and four third graders presented another series of recitations on the Christmas theme. Orators were Sandra Young, Rodger Binkley, Dale Wilkinson and Marilyn Manbevers.

Fourth and fifth grade students combined to close the program by singing "Winter Wonderland," "Deck The Halls" and "It Came Upon A Midnight Clear."

The program was supervised by Mrs. Helen Brown, elementary school music instructor, and the classroom teachers—Mrs. Mary Johnson, Mrs. Ralph Ward, Mrs. A. D. Blackburn, Mrs. James Scott, Mrs. Robert Bower, Mrs. Cleon Webb, Mrs. Daniel Pfoutz and Mrs. Russell Prett.

Plane Crashes In Bay Of Fundy

HALIFAX, N. S., Dec. 23—Halifax authorities said today that a missing plane with four persons aboard is believed to have plunged into the Bay of Fundy, near Arden.

It is not known if the pilot, Ira Tremblay, and the two women and small girl, survived.

The plane was enroute from Moncton, N. B. to Greenwood, N. S.

Church Briefs

The public has been invited by the Rev. Sam C. Elsea, pastor of Emmett Chapel Methodist charge to Christmas services at 7:30 p. m. Thursday in the church.

Mrs. Howard Glitt of Circleville, will relate how Christmas and New Year celebrations are observed in her native France, at the New Year Eve watch party sponsored by Youth Fellowship of Pickaway EUB charge. The party will begin at 8:15 p. m. New Years Eve in Washington Township school building. Paul Congrove is president, of the Fellowship.

Children of First English Lutheran church, Ashville, will hold their annual Christmas program and pageant at 7:30 p. m. Thursday. Following the children's program, a color motion picture entitled "A Savior Is Born" will be shown. Christmas Eve, the St. Matthew Lutheran choir of Lockbourne, will sing a cantata, "The Choir of Bethlehem," at 7:30 p. m., followed by the children's Christmas program. At 11:15 p. m. there will be a Christmas eve candlelight service with the Christmas message, "The Birth of Jesus." Regular worship services will be held at both churches Sunday morning. Sermon theme will be "The Day After Christmas."

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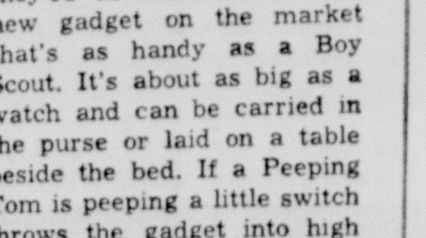
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BY JOE MOATS

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CHRISTMAS FAITH

THE real, happy-hearted joy of Christmas is only for those who believe. The stories of the birth of the Child at Bethlehem, around which our modern festival is built, tell us that there was joy on that day only for a few who believed that in this birth a most remarkable thing had occurred.

Happiness is a hollow thing this Christmas for anyone who does not believe that men are still reaching upward. For they must be overwhelmed by the wars and unrest and fears of wars which haunt the world.

But for those who believe, all things are possible. They know that men do love their fellow men, that in their hearts they do want peace and will in the end seek it where it may be found. For them the Christmas greeting flows from the lips like a gay and meaningful song. No doubts assail them as they go about the season's business of making other people happy.

It is a bitter blow to the child to learn that St. Nicholas is a legend. Christmas is never quite the same until the heart returns again to the legend to embrace it, not for a belief in a red-coated maker of magic who comes laden with a magic bag of gifts, but because it holds the Spirit of Christmas—a spirit of giving not only things but joy and love, a faith that men are good and that the world, someday, will show it.

OUTLOOK IN CANADA

THE financial position of Canada has improved materially in the past year. This is assumed from the fact that its import restrictions are to be greatly modified, with a large number of items dropped altogether from import control. These restrictions were created to conserve exchange supplies of gold and American dollars. Apparently the supplies must be approaching a safe level.

This is good news for Canadians, who now will have more supplies and wider selection of many items of common use, which this year could not be imported from the United States.

It is also good news for Americans, who will be able to sell these things to Canada again. The disadvantages of restricted trade are seldom apparent to the individual, unless he has occasion to cross the border. But the effects spread over the commerce of the seller nation as well as in the buyer country.

Our neighbors to the north must be admired for the good cheer with which they have faced restrictions rigid enough to be described by American writers as an "austerity program." More than that, they seem to have made the program work, and are achieving their goal of better economic solidarity.

Kenneth L. Dixon

Are We Secure?

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23—The life of the President of the United States is perhaps one of the nation's most carefully protected properties—up to a point.

That point, along the pathway of presidential security, is where disciplined, meticulous thinking must end and imaginative thinking must begin.

At this stage, it is needless to go into the intricate and devious physical protections provided for the President, the surrounding him with efficient armed guards, the checking of his travel routes, the constantly alert surveillance of all his audiences... those things are well known to the American people.

It is pertinent, however, to go into the unenforced rules of the Civil Aeronautics Board. They can be found in the Civil Air Regulations, Part Sixty, pertaining to air traffic rules.

On page three of that particular pamphlet, Rule Number 60.107 concerns itself with minimum safe altitudes over congested areas.

Washington is, of course, a "congested area." Further, it has a definite "restricted area" over which planes are not allowed to fly, except for takeoffs and landings, when necessary, or in case of emergencies or with special permission.

Nevertheless, it is possible for anyone who can pilot a plane or pay for the ride to fly over Washington at far below the legal altitudes, and to criss-cross back and forth over the White House, the Capitol Building and all the other restricted area establishments.

Not only is it possible, it is simple, and it is done with casual regularity.

If some citizen down on the streets below knows the rule, sees the plane, gets its number and feels like protesting to the proper office, his charge will go through channels and the pilot may be punished. . . providing, of course, the charge can be proved, or the aircraft operator chooses to admit it.

Seldom do such charges stick, unless CAB spotters themselves are taking a hand in enforcing the rules.

The simplicity of making such illegally low flights—and through restricted areas—over the White House, for example, has been proved to their own satisfaction by several people, including this correspondent.

Half a dozen phone calls to charter or flying service outfits in the Washington vicinity received almost identical answers. Certainly, they would fly you over the district on a sight-seeing tour. Certainly, they would fly low enough for you to take pictures.

Yes, if necessary, they could make several passes over any of the downtown buildings—within reason, of course. Yes, you could bring along whatever equipment you needed. No, there was no necessity to get any special permission. It would be OK.

Let there be a flurry of denials on this point, it is only necessary to add that anyone with even a student pilot's license can rent a plane almost anywhere and do as he pleases.

Unless he makes a stunting spectacle of himself, the chances of his being caught and punished are almost negligible.

In any case, whatever damage he might have planned would be already done.

Asked about these incidents, a Civil Aeronautics Board official laughed and said:

"Sure, nobody pays a damn bit of attention to the rules."

All About Marriage

by ETHEL HUESTON



CHAPTER THIRTY-FOUR

ALAN LAUGHED and took his wife's hand, drawing her down into the chair with him. "What a great little argument you have turned into," he said. "Yes, we did promise ourselves a long trip somewhere. But we planned to go as tourists, not fugitives. As tourists we would have fun. As fugitives we would have worries and heartaches and constant regrets. We might even begin to hate each other."

"Not if we were together, Alan."

"Yes, even if we were together. Maybe if we were together. We wouldn't know now things were going with Donna, and we know now that she would never tell us. We would be in constant uncertainty and doubt. We would always be thinking she might need us and we were not here. And I would have it nagging over me, day and night, that unless I kept you enslaved with me away from home, I would still have to come back and face those accusing eyes."

"But they wouldn't be accusing, Alan. Not if she understood and was nappy—and gave up her strange ideas."

"But we would never know whether she understood, whether she was nappy, whether she had given up her strange ideas."

"Oh, she would tell us, Alan. Her letters would tell us. Once she got rid of—of these terrible thoughts—of course she would tell us."

"She hasn't told us much these last eight years, has she? No, Jeanie, believe me, you will be much happier here. Right here in your own home. Where you can know what comes to Donna and help her as much as possible."

"Alan, I—I feel very angry at Donna. It—it all seems so—so fantastic."

"Yes. It did to me last night. In a way it still does. But that doesn't let me out, Jeanie. It doesn't let either of us out. We fell down on our job, tell badly. We should have been too careful to be fooled by a smile that cloaked a sneer and a smirk."

"Sometimes I have very wicked thoughts, Alan. Not only about this. About other things. Do you remember," she went on, speaking hurriedly, "when it was in the paper three years ago that Magda was very ill in California with pneumonia and recovery was doubtful? Alan, I did not want her to recover. I hoped she wouldn't. If I had dared I would have prayed that she would die."

"Why, Jeanie?" He was surprised and puzzled. "It was all over then. You knew it was all over. She was as dead as dust to me. She was anathema to me."

"Yes, I know. It was because she knew, Alan. I always so hoped nobody knew. Magda and I, of course, no body else. And so, I really hoped she wouldn't keep on living. Then I would be the only one. At least, I thought so then. I didn't know about Donna."

"I'm sorry, Jeanie," he said huskily. "I suppose I've had a guilty conscience ever since," she said more lightly. "Anyhow I'm glad to get it off my chest. She didn't die and I do not care now."

The week end wore itself away. Jean was shocked and somewhat terrified to discover that, confronted with an upheaval so cataclysmic, there were so few details to be ironed out, so few subjects requiring sustained discussion. Alan reminded her, rather humorously, that it was the philosophical approach.

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proach to existence, prepare for life but be ready for death. He was gratified to realize that, without having seriously contemplated this eventuality, the general map of his life was in such complete conformity.

The plan, according to his reasoning, was simplicity itself. His affairs were in order. He would go to Chicago a little in advance of schedule but reasonably enough since only final formalities remained to be put in the record. He would ask for a couple of weeks off from the New York office to dispose of his personal holdings in St. Louis and Minneapolis. This, too, was reasonable. Since he would no longer be making his westward treks with such regularity, it was no more than the part of wisdom to liquidate his investments there, especially at the time when liquidations were easy and profitable. From this trip he would not return.

Jean suggested a compromise. Since he objected to what she called a long-promised tourist trip in foreign countries and to which he referred with some naivete as seeing from justice, he could write his letter to Donna and then quietly disappear. Not into eternity. Just into open spaces, somewhere comfortable, somewhere safe, alone, without her. He could communicate with her privately. This subterfuge would just a well effect their one set purpose, the salvation of Donna. His disappearance would be as convincing as his death. The went so far as to plot his logical return after Donna had come to her senses and was nappy married. Amnesia. Lots of people did it. And could one question a victim of amnesia?

Alan would have none of her compromises. "You mean I am just to vanish somewhere all by myself and not see you any more? And not come home?"

"But not forever, Alan. Just till Donna is straightened out."

"I'd rather be dead," he said flatly. "Believe me, Jeanie, I'm giving myself the easiest out on this. What would I do with myself, sticking it out in strange places among strange people without you? I would be bored stiff. I'd rather be dead. Besides," he argued more logically, "a mere disappearance would necessitate investigations, police inquiries, search for a missing body. The company would not like that. Neither would I. Besides, suppose they found me. What could I say then?"

Having committed himself to a line of procedure so entirely alien both to his own nature and to all his preconceived ideas of correct behavior, Alan took a certain satisfaction in working out minor details, polishing up fine points, perfecting his plan.

"I never set myself up as a perfectionist before," he said, with an odd admixture of humility and pride, "but this is going to be the perfect suicide. Nobody but you and Donna will ever know. And if this doesn't jolt her back into her senses, nothing ever will."

As if it were a new game, he toyed with it constantly, fitting small pieces together, rubbing off rough edges, and in spite of the underlying sadness there was humor in the doggedness with which he worked at it.

Jean complained once that he actually seemed to look forward to the status of being dead and he admitted that it compared favorably with other eventualities he could mention.

"I never thought much about being actually dead before," he said interestedly, "and it is not as

street sustained a serious injury in a fall on the sidewalk.

Mrs. George P. Hunsicker, Williamsport, entertained at a dinner to honor the 32nd anniversary of her husband's connection with the Farmers' National Bank of that village.

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MARCH OF EVENTS

Movement Still Grows To Oust Hugh Scott | More Steel Required For Today's Automobile

Special to Central Press

WASHINGTON—The movement to replace GOP National Chairman Hugh Scott, Jr., with retiring Rep. Everett Dirksen (R), Illinois, is gaining ground despite the fact that top Republican sources are denying it exists.

Republicans who seek to oust Scott say that with a little coaxing Dirksen, who is leaving the House because of ill health, would take the job.

Thus far, Scott, through his supporters within the regular GOP organization, has let it be known that he is in no mood to resign.

The GOP national committee holds its first post-election meeting in Washington next March or April, at which fur may fly. One GOP official who is opposed to Scott observed:

"Scott's scalp may be among the flying fur!" Scott's foes are the party politicians who also have turned against Gov. Thomas E. Dewey, blaming his campaign generalizations and failure to "meet the issues head-on" for his defeat by President Truman.

Those who would "scalp" Scott call him the "creature of a deal" at the national convention last June in Philadelphia. They say Scott was named to reward the Pennsylvania machine for swinging the 73-member Pennsylvania delegation to Dewey. It was Senator Edward Martin's decision that started the Dewey stampede and led to his nomination on the third ballot.

HEAVYWEIGHTS—It may not come as a surprise to motorists, but the latest models of postwar passenger cars require up to 1,000 pounds more steel than the unstreamlined autos of 20 years ago. This is one of the bits of information unearthed by the steel industry in a survey on increased consumption of its product. United States mills are expected to produce 88 million tons of steel in 1948, the greatest output for any peacetime year.

The automobile industry continues to be the largest industrial user of steel, taking 6,550,000 tons in the first eight months of this year.

CHINA DEBACLE—Despite the "second honeymoon," which the Truman administration is enjoying, a real debacle for the Chinese Nationalist government is likely to call down considerable blame on Washington heads.

Some last-minute scurrying to get out from under the blame may be expected. EAC Administrator Hoffman's allocation of an additional \$18,000,000 to China was a straw in the wind.

For the blame seems most likely to fall on ECA, primarily on the basis of one question: Why were the Chinese Nationalists left without food?

Especially, why were they left without food in the Shanghai-Nanking area, served largely by the Shanghai seaport and including the nation's capital?

Rioting in both these places indicates that, while there was a great deal of worry about military and industrial supplies, the important item of food was neglected.

In defense of ECA's neglect, it should be said that the whole Chinese situation appears almost insoluble. Inflation a month ago was so bad that one million Chinese dollars were worth about four dollars American. And the situation has since grown worse.

PHOTO FINISH?—The photo reconnaissance plane, so valuable in World War II, is rapidly becoming a thing of the past due to the development of remote control missiles which take pictures at supersonic speeds.

The National Defense department is getting closer and closer to practical control over the missiles over longer and longer distances.

The day may not be far off when it will be possible to load film in a missile, fly it over desired areas as the camera clicks and bring it back to a spot where the camera can be unloaded.

Photo Recon Planes Lose Value

—: Social Happenings-Personals-News of Interest to Women :—:

Stoutsville School Pupils Present Holiday Play At PTA Community Meet

William Strehle Directs Singing

William Strehle directed community singing of "Come All Ye Faithful" and "Hark The Herald Angels Sing" at the Stoutsville Parent-Teacher Association Christmas meeting.

The Rev. H. Glenn Crabtree, pastor of Stoutsville EUB Church, offered prayer and related "The Christmas Story". A solo was offered by Strehle. During a business meeting the association purchased a bond from Pickaway Tuberculosis and Health Association.

Pupils of second, third, fourth, fifth, sixth, seventh and eighth grades took parts in a holiday play entitled "Heigho-Ho-Holly". Leading parts in the play were enacted by Audrey Rayburn, Roger Gobel, Marvene Wiggins, Fred Stedman, Lee Ann Noggle, Gloria Lynch, Jerry Crider, Donald Good, Joan Mussick and Terrell Estell.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Harrison of Stoutsville will be Christmas dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Koch of Ashville.

Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Hawkes of North Pickaway street will have Mrs. Hawkes parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Cloud of Ashville for Christmas dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. James Pierce of Pickaway Township left Thursday for the East where they will spend a week with Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Perdon and daughter, Elizabeth, of Hartford, Conn.

Mrs. J. C. Rader of South Washington street, accompanied by Mrs. Nell Snider of Columbus, will be Christmas guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Snider of Muncie, Ind.

Mrs. George Foerst of North Court street is in Cincinnati for the holidays with her son, Dr. M. O. Brown and family.

Mrs. Wealtha V. Abernethy of Columbus spent Wednesday on business in Circleville.

Miss Mary Virginia Crites of Columbus will spend Christmas weekend in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Meinhardt Crites of West Franklin street.

Mrs. David S. Dunlap of West Franklin street will be the Christmas guest of her sons-in-law and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Cole and family and Dr. and Mrs. William F. Mitchell and family of Columbus.

Mrs. John Dunkle of Walnut street was the Tuesday guest of her sister, Miss Bell Sweptson of Hallsville.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Haber of Columbus will be Christmas weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Howard N. Stevenson and sons, David, Newell, and Beaumont, of Jackson Township.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Gordon and sons of Reber avenue are planning to spend Christmas holidays in Columbus. They will be guests in the home of Mrs. Gordon's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Julius Gussacoff. While there they will attend an open house honoring a cousin, Dr. Rewen Greenberg, who was recently graduated by Ohio State university with a degree of doctor of philosophy.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Yunker and daughter, Anna Marie, of Madison, Ind., will spend Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. George L. Crites of South Court street.

J. D. Hummel and Mrs. L. K. Athey of Circleville and Harold Foster of Columbus will be Christmas dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles McIlvane of Cedarwood Farm, Chillicothe.

Engagement Announced

Mr. and Mrs. David Riley of near Chillicothe have announced the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Leah, to David E. Walters, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Walters of Circleville.

Miss Riley was graduated by Chillicothe high school and is employed in that city. Her fiancé was graduated by Circleville high school and attended Capital university, Columbus. He now is associated with his father in the grocery business.

Joan D. Davis Is Bride Of Lawrence Reid

Joan Dehl Davis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Porter of near Mt. Sterling, became the bride of Lawrence W. Reid, son of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil M. Reid of the Williamsport community in Five Points Methodist church.

The Rev. S. A. Steele officiated for the Dec. 5 marriage.

Those in the wedding party were Margaret Reid, Glenn Howdashedt, John A. Jones, Mrs. Kenneth Campbell, Jerry Rasor, Carol Reid, Miss Rachel Spillman, Miss Betty Kenny, Miss Barbara Ruffner and Miss Suzanne Porter, sister of the bride.

Jay R. Davis was best man. Groomsmen were Kenneth Reid, James Rasor, Robert Ellis and James Howdashedt.

More than 280 guests were entertained at a reception following the ceremony. Assisting hostesses were Miss Doloris Palmer, Mrs. Herbert Vermillion, Mrs. Robert Ellis, Mrs. Carroll Reid, Mrs. Jay R. Davis and Mrs. James Howdashedt.

Both bride and groom were graduated by Monroe Township high school. Davis later was graduated by Otterbein college. He now is engaged in farming near Williamsport. For the present the couple is living in the home of the bride's parents.

Two Hostesses Handle Party

A Christmas party was given for the Cradle Roll Class, mothers and guests of Scioto Chapel Sunday school by Mrs. Raymond Hott and Mrs. Charles Young.

Games and songs were enjoyed around the Christmas tree. Gifts were distributed by the hosts who are teachers of the class.

Refreshments were served at decorated tables to Donna Lee Mowery, Donna Jean Walker, Gretchen Hott, Cindy Sue and Mary Lou Young, Virginia and H. Dale Hatfield, Michael and Gary Wilson, Lauragene, Ruth Ann and James Carmichael, Mrs. N. I. Mowery, Mrs. Ben Walker, Mrs. Harold Wilson, Mrs. Darrell Hatfield and Mrs. Arthur Carmichael.

Mr., Mrs. Renick Host Holiday Party

Mr. and Mrs. Tom A. Renick of East Main street entertained at a holiday party Wednesday evening. They hosted a group of friends at a buffet dinner in Scioto Lodge, south of Chillicothe.

A Christmas tree and decorations of the season lent a festive atmosphere to the occasion. Games provided entertainment following the evening meal.

OES Readies Family Affair

The Tuesday meeting of Order of Eastern Star will feature a "family night" covered-dish supper scheduled for 6:30 p. m. in chapter rooms of Masonic temple.

In charge of arrangements will be George Welker, Carl Bennett, Guy Cline, Mrs. Dick Robinson, Mrs. Fred Colville

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Elizabeth Dunkle, Mrs. George Mildred Kuhn and Mrs. N. E. Schaub, Mrs. Carl Bennett, Mrs. Reichelderfer.

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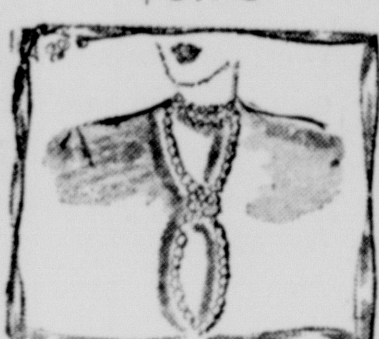
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Next Step In Grid War Is Awaited

NFL Underrates AAC Life Length

CHICAGO, Dec. 23—Next step in the weird negotiations between the National Football League and the All-America Conference may well occur here late next month at the regular NFL scheduled meeting of the NFL.

At that time, National League clubowners and the committee-of-five from the All-America Conference may meet again in an effort to do what wasn't done in Philadelphia Monday.

It was generally agreed, by this time, that the Philadelphia parley failed mostly because the NFL took its younger rival for granted.

Both George Halas of the National League Chicago Bears and Ben Lindheimer of the All-America's Los Angeles Dons confirmed here yesterday that a two-league setup was to have been discussed in Philadelphia.

National leaguers in Philadelphia and All-America club owners in Cleveland, talking back and forth on the telephone before the Philadelphia meeting was arranged, had agreed, with a couple of NFL exceptions, that a two-league, peaceful organization along baseball lines, was the right solution.

WHILE THE All-America's five-man delegation was en route to Philadelphia, National leaguers, who had called the parley in the first place, began to sniff signs of weakness in their rivals' willingness to travel to Philadelphia for the meeting.

The result was that when the five chosen AAC clubowners entered the conference room they found every single National League owner, excluding the hospitalized Alexis Thompson, waiting for them. Commissioner Bert Bell of the NFL was there too.

The National League tried to dictate the peace. Its original "master plan," formulated in Pittsburgh over a month ago on the premise that the All-America was bound to collapse, came first. The National leaguers graciously offered to adopt the Cleveland and San Francisco franchises of the AAC.

The All-America boys, perhaps, weren't entirely prepared to hear this after all the pre-Philadelphia phone talk. But they didn't bite.

Then the Nationals offered to take in four AAC teams. Still no sale.

Twice in three days, it turned out, the NFL had underestimated its foe. Earlier, the National leaguers had sat back waiting for news from Cleveland that the All-America had folded.

Instead, the All-America declared it would go again in 1949. The boys will have to try again for peace in our time.

Yankee Tackle Goes To Browns

CLEVELAND, Dec. 23—The Cleveland Browns today obtained Darrell Palmer, 245-pound tackle and co-captain of the New York Yankees this season, in exchange for the draft rights to Alex Sarkisian.

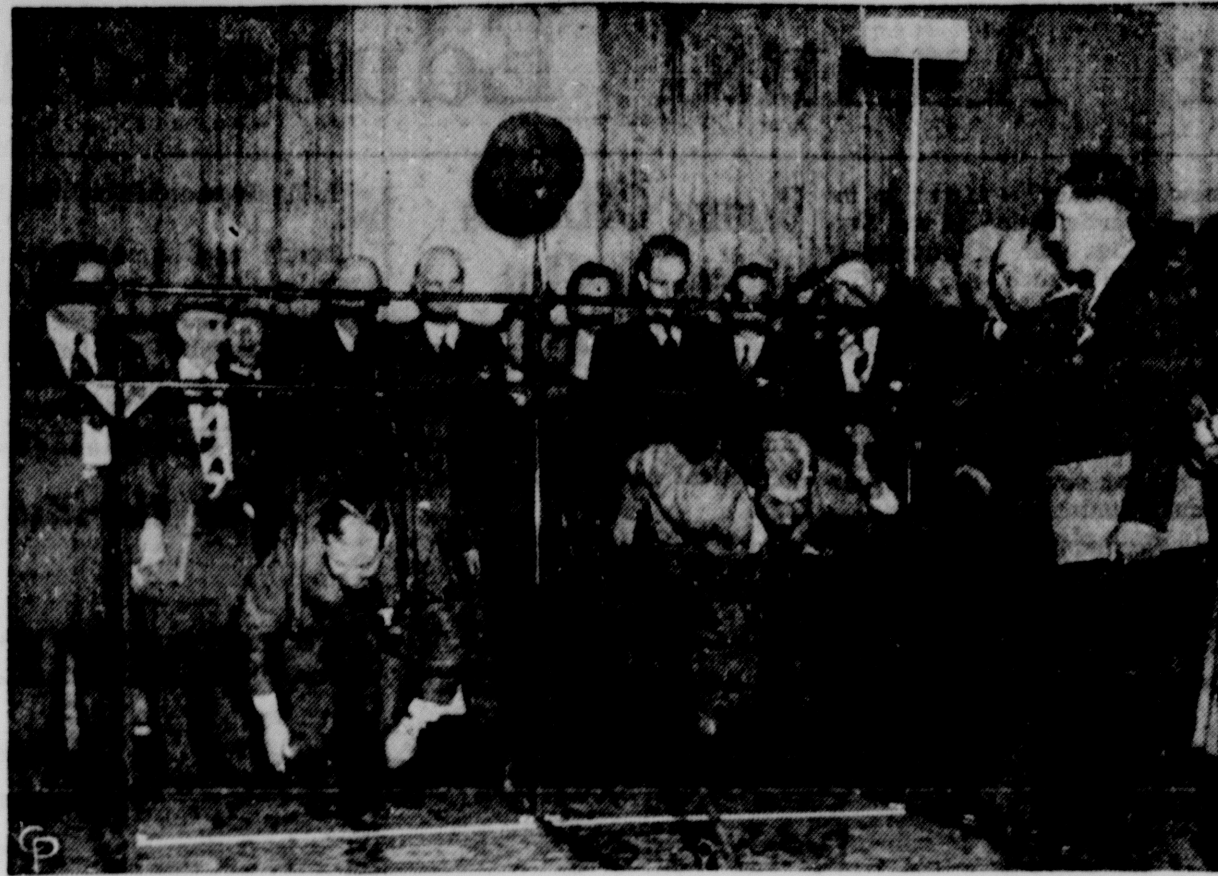
Palmer, a veteran of three years in the All-America Conference, is considered one of the loop's outstanding linemen both on offense and defense. He was named to several All-America teams in his final year of college play with Texas Christian in 1942.

Rights to Sarkisian, an All-America center from Northwestern, had been obtained by the Browns at last year's AAC draft meeting.

NCAA Roster Now Totals 264

CHICAGO, Dec. 23—The National Collegiate Athletic Association announced today that 13 universities and colleges were voted active NCAA membership in 1948, bringing the group's total membership to an all-time high of 264 active participants.

The new active members include Case Institute, Fenn college, Western Reserve university, all of Cleveland.



BANE OF ALL track and field officials is false starts. Ben Ogden of Temple university has invented a new starting gate which he demonstrates at the 60th annual convention of the Amateur Athletic Union convention in New York. Ogden has his hand on the gate at right. Carl Olsen (left) of the University of Pittsburgh, and Larry Snyder, the Ohio State track coach, use the gate for demonstration purposes. The starting gate resembles the horse race starting barriers. (International)

State Athletic Board Pondering Jackson-Monroe Basketball Tiff

Jackson Township school will know by Christmas Day whether the school will be placed on probation by the Ohio High School Athletic Association.

H. W. Emswiler, secretary of the commission, said Thursday the state organization's board was considering the decision by Friday.

In question are circumstances surrounding the Jackson-Monroe basketball game played Dec. 10 on the Jackson floor. Monroe won, 39-33.

Information forwarded to Emswiler indicated that a disturbance occurred in the last three minutes of play. Reports said a Jackson player was ruled out of the game when he committed

his fifth foul while under the Monroe basket.

REFeree Lawrence Fullen absorbed a blow on the cheekbone immediately after he called the fatal fifth foul, according to the report. Witnesses said that when Fullen attempted to escort the offending player from the floor, two adults entered the area from the gallery and manhandled the referee. The game eventually was completed.

Emswiler said two factors are being considered: (a) the actual incident which precipitated the disturbance; and (b) the possibility that Jackson provided no called the fatal fifth foul, ac police protection, contrary to state regulation.

The state athletic chieftain said he doubted the school would be suspended. He hinted that the player involved could be suspended and that the school itself could be placed on probation.

The board decision will be based on six reports: from Fullen, Co-Referee Art Deal, Jackson Superintendent R. D. Shauk, Jackson Coach Don McCaulsky, Monroe Superintendent Kenneth Christy and Monroe Coach Loren Straight.

Browns Tackle Denies Report

CLEVELAND, Dec. 23—Burly Chet Adams today scotched rumors that he is being considered for the head coaching position at Ohio university.

The Cleveland Browns tackle declared he has not been approached as yet concerning the job, and that "as far as that goes, I'd like to play another year of professional football."

Adams an Ohio U. alumnus, starred with the Los Angeles Rams and Chicago Bears in the National Football League before joining the Cleveland crew in the All-America Conference.

Bucks Win Again

BERKELEY, Calif., Dec. 23—Ohio State racked up another point-studded game by winning 68-64 over a tenacious University of California team here last night. This makes it four out of five for the Buckeyes.

Youngstown '5, Dayton Annex Court Wins

COLUMBUS, Dec. 23—Two games were played last night involving Ohio college cagers, and in both the Buckeye men came out on top.

In the Youngstown-Fenn clash the result was a foregone conclusion, of course. Youngstown got that one, 51-44.

However, Dayton was hard put to uphold Ohio honor, needing an overtime period finally to down Morris Harvey, 78-71.

Accurate foul shooting enabled the Penguins to gain the nod over Fenn. Although both teams netted the same number of field goals, Youngstown sank 15 of 21 foul attempts for its margin of victory.

Brian McCall paced the Dayton attack with 21 points, and sparked the Flyers as they pulled ahead in the extra session.

Basketball doings are quiet over most of the state tonight, except in Cleveland where Case tangles with Wooster and Western Reserve tackles Rutgers in a cage doubleheader.

Wise Is Mum On Cincy Job

ATHENS, Dec. 23—Contrary to current gossip, Harold Wise, who this week resigned as head coach at Ohio university, has not been "talked to" in regard to a coaching job at Cincinnati with recently-installed Ed Gillman.

Denying that he had had correspondence with Gillman over the matter, Wise said he has "no definite plans" but he feared linking his name with the Cincinnati post would be "embarrassing" to Gillman.

Previously Wise had said when asked if he had been discussing the matter with Gillman:

"I can't answer that. There are going to be rumors flying thick and fast."

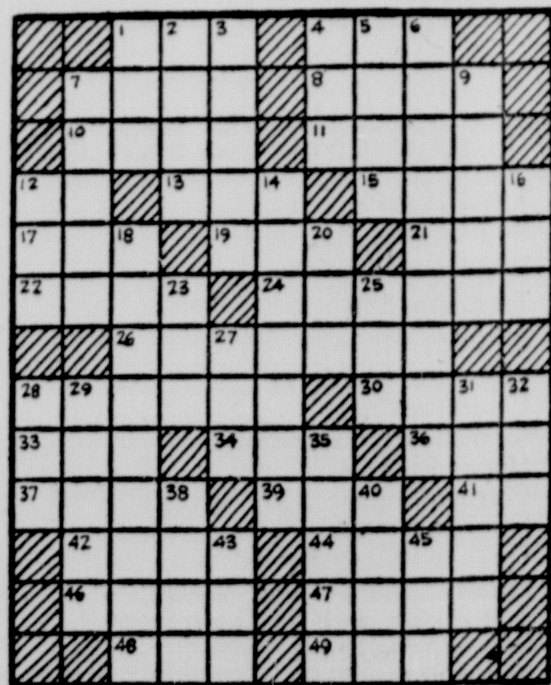
Shick To Head Trapshoot Group

BELEFONTAINE, Dec. 23—Levi Shick, Bellefontaine implement dealer, has been elected president of the Ohio State Trapshooting Association.

Shick succeeds K. E. McMell, of Greenville. He won the Class-A national championship last year with 200 straight targets.

Crossword Puzzle

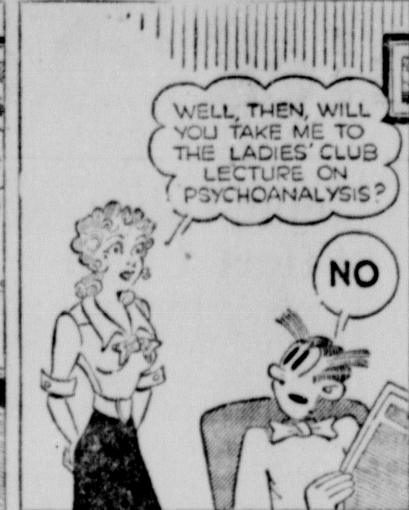
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| 1. Drinking vessel | 1. Vehicle |
| 4. Ovens | 2. Either of the bears (Astron.) |
| 7. Edible rootstock | 3. Writers of verse |
| 8. Ostrich-like birds | 4. Exclamation |
| 10. Scottish-Gaelic | 5. Book of the Old Testament |
| 11. River (Va.) | 6. Startles (Ecl.) |
| 12. Aside | 7. Lukewarm |
| 13. Devoured | 8. Quantity of yarn |
| 15. Hastened | 9. Eskimo tool |
| 17. Edge of a cavity | 12. Anxiously |
| 19. Weaken | |
| 21. Narrow inlet | |
| (geol.) | |
| 22. Shrubs (Jap.) | |
| 24. Act of gambling | |
| 26. Shipworms | |
| 28. Come into sight | |
| 30. Networks | |
| 33. Game of chance | |
| 34. Travel back and forth | |
| 36. Cebine monkey | |
| 37. Of wines: dry | |
| 39. Sweet potato | |
| 41. Thoron (sym.) | |
| 42. Silkworm | |
| 44. Pause | |
| 46. Hauled | |
| 47. Carting vehicle | |
| 49. Anger | |
| 49. Japanese coin | |



Yesterday's Answer

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| 35. Small plots of ground | 38. A row |
| 40. Sheer | 43. Solemn wonder |
| 45. River (Pol.) | |

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Ashville Darters In League Tie

Ashville Lutheran Parish team has garnered a tie for fourth place in the Franklin County Dartball League standings with 23 wins in 52 league attempts.

Paul Kuhlwein is the ace on the Ashville team, sporting a .511 average to date. While playing St. Paul's last week he hit safely in 11 of 16 times at bat.

School Delegates Named For Annual Education Parley

City Tutors Tap Eberly For Confab

Lanman, Shauck Get County Bid

Truman Eberly, instructor of vocal and instrumental music in Circleville high school has been elected to represent city teachers at the Ohio Education Association in Columbus Monday.

Eberly was chosen by the Circleville Teachers' Association to attend the three-day session in which new building problems, teacher shortage and mounting operating costs will be discussed.

Featured speaker at the meeting will be Lisa Sergio, Italian born radio commentator. He is to speak on world affairs.

Mrs. Mary Johnson, principal of the Franklin-street elementary school, has been elected alternate to Eberly, and is expected to attend the session also.

Pickaway County school system is to have two delegates at the meeting. Elected as delegates are Jud Lanman, superintendent of Williamsport schools, and R. D. Shauck, Jackson Township school superintendent.

ALTERNATES in the county are A. A. White of Monroe Township and George Mallett of Wayne Township school.

The big problems facing Ohio's schools — new buildings, the teacher shortage, mounting operating costs and buses—will hold the spotlight at the annual meeting. More than 600 teachers and administrators, delegates to the OEA representative assembly, will attend the three-day session.

According to W. B. Bliss, OEA executive secretary, delegates will consider a proposed state legislative program, recommended by the organization's executive committee and to be presented formally at the second of four general sessions.

During the three-day convention, 10 OEA departmental and affiliated organizations will hold their annual meetings. One of the program highlights will be a panel discussion on the role of the schools in providing community programs of adult education.

Lonely Heart Is Out \$120

CINCINNATI, Dec. 23 — A "lonely hearts club" man was lonelier today by \$120. And his correspondent was lonely in a Cincinnati prison cell, charged with grand larceny.

George Sachs, 30, of Hoboken, N. J., filed the charge against Mrs. Elsie Willey, 35, of Minneapolis, mother of two boys. He said she robbed him of the money while he was sleeping in a Cincinnati hotel room.

Mrs. Willey denied the charge, saying she had come here to work and had corresponded with Sachs through a lonely hearts club.

Volume Down, Prices Varied In Stock Sale

Volume slumped as prices fluctuated at the Pickaway Livestock Cooperative Association auctions Wednesday.

Receipts at the Wednesday sales totaled only 911 head, a decrease of 175 head as compared to last week's total volume of 1,086 head. Prices in hogs and sheep markets showed substantial increases this week, although decreases were noted in sale of cattle and calves.

Cattle receipts decreased 137 head Wednesday when only 93 head were sold as compared to the 230 marketed last week.

Hogs sales tallied 500 head this week, a decrease in volume of 150 head as compared to the 650 auctioned last Wednesday.

Calves sales decreased only four head in this week's transactions, 62 sold Wednesday and 66 sold last week. Largest decrease in prices Wednesday was noted in sale of calves, which dropped nearly \$3 in every category.

SHEEP AND LAMBS receipts registered the only increase in this week's market, an increase of 116 head recorded when 256 head were sold as compared to the 140 marketed last week. Prices were slightly higher than quoted in every category last week.

Complete report of the auction follows:

CATTLE RECEIPTS — 93 head — Steers and heifers, good No. choice cattle on sale; steers and heifers, medium to good 21-26.25; steers and heifers, common to medium 16-21; cows, common to good 16-20-19.10; cows, canners to common 12-16.50; bulls 18-24.20.

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Joint Labor Effort Urged

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23—Sen. Ives. (R) N. Y., today urged a joint effort by Congress, labor and management in writing a new labor relations act.

Ives has declined to sign the forthcoming report of the GOP-dominated joint congressional labor-management relations committee. He said:

"In order that the best type of legislation dealing with industrial and labor relations may be formulated by the 81st Congress, it will be necessary for all of us to work together for that result. 'A pro-labor approach or a pro-management approach or pro-Republican or pro-Democratic approach can never meet the problem with which we are faced and produce satisfactory legislation. By any of these approaches bad matters would only be made worse.'"

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\$87,575 In Bonds Sold Countians In November

Pickaway Countians purchased \$87,575 worth of U. S. Savings bonds in November which was \$37,377 more than purchased in the same month a year ago.

Judge William D. Radcliff, savings bonds chairman for Pickaway County, said state and national sales reflected the same increase in a comparative report of the two months.

Statewide sales in November totaled \$25,099,758, an increase of approximately six percent over November 1947 sales of \$23,663,931, Judge Radcliff reported. He said national sales increased two percent.

The county official said the

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with the numbers following 658,000.

Unpaid applicants whose claim numbers are higher than the 658,000 figure are advised they will receive notice as to what additional information will be needed in the near future.

Shea said the bonus commission is making every attempt to make proper legal determination of the claims. If local vets are still unpaid, it is safe to assume that further investigation is being conducted before the commission makes its decision.

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